

APPENDIX D
Site Photographs



Photo 1

Looking north at sump from Phase I to Phase I/II PLS and disconnected
12" pipe from PLS to Slot Heap



Photo 2

12" fluid transfer from Phase I/II PLS to Slot Heap surface: disconnected
from evaporation system



Photo 3
Approximately ½ gpm draining from Phase I sump into Phase I/II PLS
pond

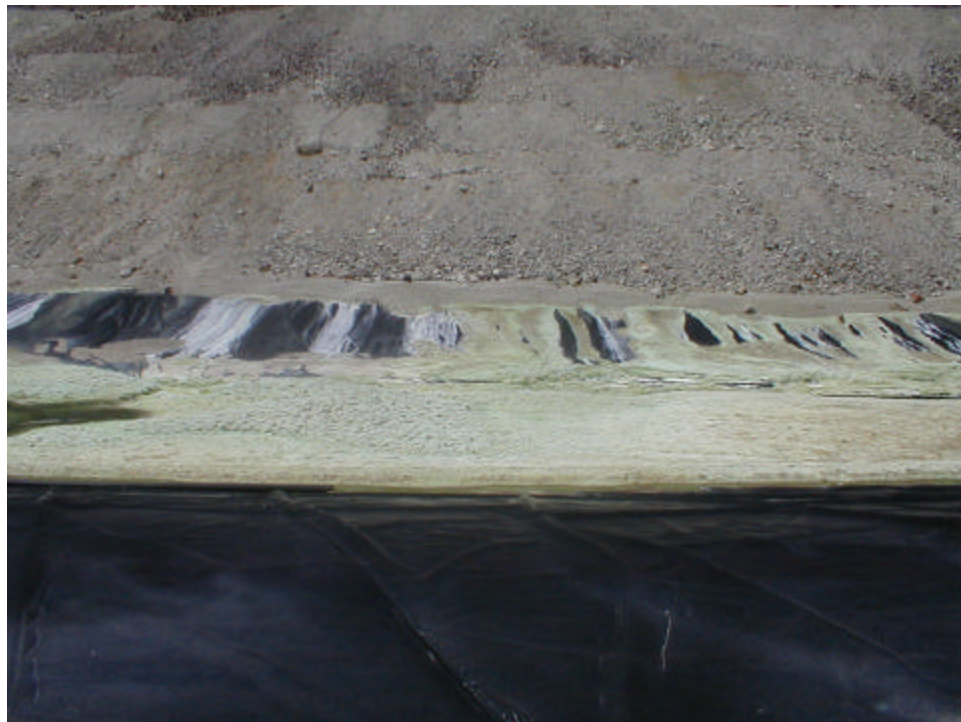


Photo 4
Evaporite in Phase III south “bathtub” basin



Photo 5
Megapond barge pump and limited standing solution



Photo 6
Megapond leak detection/leakage transfer sump



Photo7
Local slope failure on east face of Phase III Heap



Photo 8
Western toe of Phase III Heap near property boundary (fence) and municipal features (water tank in foreground, Sierra Pacific electrical substation in background)



Photo 9
Phase III/4X southeast corner – dam and gravity drain pipe to divert
draindown to VLT system



Photo 10
Phase IV-Slot pump station – not currently operated in favor of smaller
pumps



Photo 11
Phase IV-Slot North Pregnant Pond – incidental standing water only, leach
and solution management piping in background



Photo 12
Surface of Phase IV-Slot Heap – evaporation pipes and misters

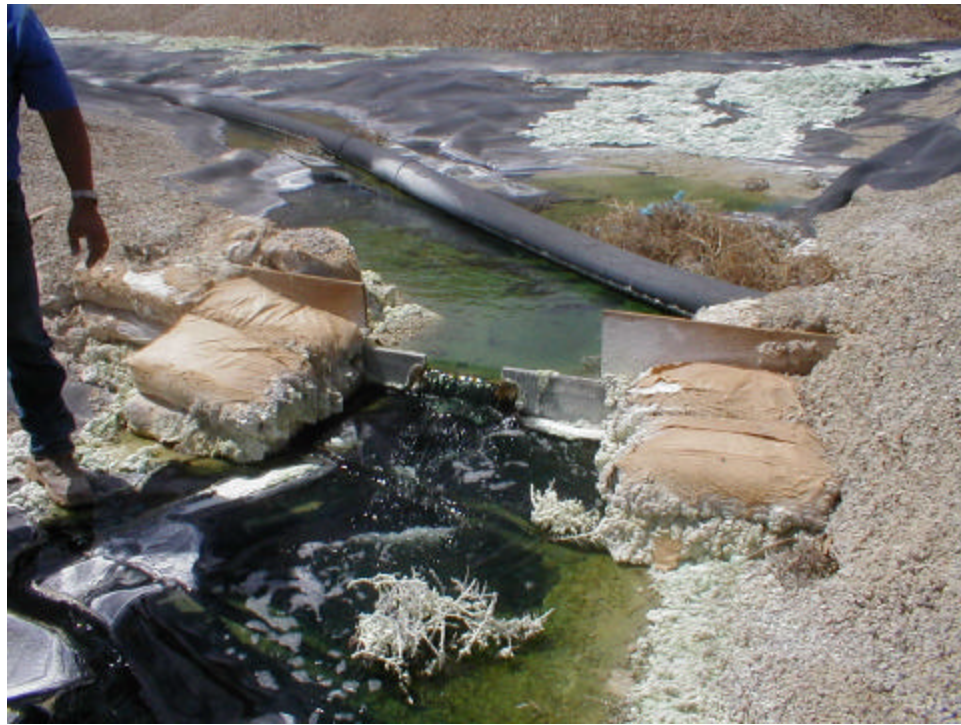


Photo 13
Weir at inlet of Phase IV-VLT solution ditch to VLT sediment control basin



Photo 14
Looking east along north face of Phase IV-VLT Heap, sediment control basin and leak detection port in mid-ground, discharge pipe for buried pump station in foreground



Photo 15
One of two types of high-efficiency evaporators in use on Phase IV-VLT
Heap – not currently operating



Photo 16
Looking northeast – Interior of Electro-Winning Building



Photo 17
Looking northwest at eastern end of the Electro-Winning Building



Photo 18
Looking southeast at the laboratory and plant office building



Photo 19
Looking north on top of the Slot Leach Pad, immediately after two days of heavy rainfall.



Photo 20
Looking east on top of the Phase III-4X Leach Pad, immediately after two days of heavy rainfall.